



CONGREGATION  
BETH ISRAEL

*Shabbat Evening Service*

Rabbi David A. Lyon, Rabbi Adrienne P. Scott,  
Cantor Star Trompeter

SEPTEMBER 20, 2019  
21 ELUL 5779

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*Bimah Flowers: The Bimah Flowers have been given by  
Sarai & Joseph Israel in honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Orié Israel,  
and by Mary & Todd Plantowsky in honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Olivia Plantowsky.*

*Musician: David Craig, Bass; Alexandre Loukachine, Drums;  
Mark Vogel, Piano, Music Director*

Senior Rabbi, David A. Lyon, D.D.  
Associate Rabbi, Adrienne P. Scott  
Associate Rabbi, Eleanor B. Steinman

Senior Cantor, Star A. Trompeter  
Rabbi Emeritus, Samuel E. Karff, D.H.L.  
Cantor Emeritus, Robert M. Gerber, D.S.M.

David M. Scott, Exec. Dir. & Dir. of Lifelong Learning  
Dr. Michelle Barton, Head of The Shlenker School  
Samara Schwartz, Miriam Browning JLC Principal  
Joan Gelfond, Campus Dir. of Technology  
Kathy Parven, Cemetery Director

**BIMAH GUESTS**

Deborah Buks, Vice President; Dan Schlanger, Trustee

Saturday, September 21, 2019 – Shabbat

8:30am Shabbat Morning Minyan  
Gordon Chapel

9:45am Torah Study, Rabbi David A. Lyon  
Finger Board Room

5:30pm Havdalah Service,  
B'not Mitzvah of Orié Israel & Olivia Plantowsky  
Gordon Chapel

8:00pm Selichot Program  
Wolff-Toomim Hall South

9:30pm Selichot Oneg  
Finger Chapel Foyer

10:00pm Selichot Service  
Gordon Chapel

10:45pm Selichot Guided Meditation  
Sanctuary

Thank you for silencing your cell phones.

Ushers are happy to answer questions about our service.

Children are always welcome in our services. If they need a break, we are live streaming this service in Wolff-Toomim Hall across from the Gordon Chapel. There is plenty of room for the children to enjoy themselves!

**CONGREGATION BETH ISRAEL'S ISRAEL TRIP –  
MAY 31-JUNE 10, 2020**

Registration is now open for our Israel trip on May 31-June 10th, 2020. Rabbi Lyon and Cantor Trompeter will lead the trip. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact David Scott, dscott@beth-israel.org or (713) 771-6221 x612, or **visit frosch.com/cbi**.

**RUN THE BASES WITH BONIM**

Join us at Constellation Field to close out the SKEETERS Baseball season at Fan Appreciation Day, this Sunday, Sept 22nd. Only \$20 per child, which includes lunch, bus and ballpark snacks. Lunch at noon, BIFTY Lounge. Busses leave at 1pm. Parent pickup at 6:15pm at the Shlenker entrance.



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# Selichot

A night of poetry and prayer

SEPTEMBER 21ST BEGINNING AT 8PM

Selichot, which means forgiveness, marks the formal beginning of the High Holy Days. This special holiday is traditionally observed the Saturday evening the week before Rosh Hashanah.

### USHER MEETING – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are in need of Ushers for the High Holy Days. The annual Usher Meeting has been rescheduled for this Tuesday, September 24 at 5:45pm. Please enter through the Sanctuary entrance and meet in the Miller-Weil Sanctuary Foyer. We will review safety drills and then proceed to the Finger Board Room for a quick overview of usher duties and responsibilities. Contact Marcus Litofsky, mlitofsky@gmail.com, or Marsha Gilbert, mgilbert@beth-israel.org, for questions and to RSVP.

### HIGH HOLY DAY WORKSHOP

On Tuesday evening, September 24, at 6:30pm in the Lewis President's Room, Rabbi Scott and David Scott will lead a High Holy Day workshop. We will review the themes, prayers and sounds of this significant and important season. All are welcome to attend. For more information, please contact Rabbi Scott or email cwoolley@beth-israel.org.

### THE GUIDING HAND EXHIBIT

The long-awaited yad exhibit opening has been postponed. Please stay tuned for more information. The Gallery is open during Temple business hours, except when meetings are scheduled in the Gallery. Please contact Rene Schwartz at rschwartz@beth-israel.org or call (713) 771-6221 x630 to schedule your visit to The Guiding Hand.

### MUSSAR – CLASSES START LATE OCTOBER

You are not on this journey alone! Small Mussar groups are forming for Fall 2019. Choose between "Seeking Everyday Holiness" (Mondays at 11am) and two "Season of Mussar" courses (Tuesdays at 11:30am and Thursdays at 10:30am). For info, contact Liza Abrams at labrams@beth-israel.org or call (713)-771-6221 x301.

### KIDS' MEALS – SEPTEMBER 25

The next volunteer opportunity for Kids' Meals is Wed., September 25th at 9:30am in The Margolis Gallery. Join our volunteers in making sack lunches for Houston's hungriest preschool children. If you have questions, contact Marsha Gilbert at (713) 771-6221 x336 or mgilbert@beth-israel.org.

### BEGINNER/INTERMEDIATE HEBREW LESSONS

The Beginner Hebrew class focuses on letters and vowels and meets 6:30pm Tuesdays in the Temple Conference Room. Those who already can read Hebrew should consider taking Intermediate Hebrew, which meets at the same time in The Margolis Gallery.

### MONTHLY MIDRASH

Mark your calendars for the next class which focuses on Mitzvot and Ethics. Class, led by David Scott, RJE, goes from 11:30am to 1pm in The Margolis Gallery on Thursday, October 3rd. RSVP to Liza Abrams at labrams@beth-israel.org or call (713) 771-6221 x301.

## DEATHS

Thomas Roosth

## IN MEMORIAM

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|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Gilbert Almaraz         | James Johns        | David Reisman      |
| Doris Armstrong         | Solomon Jucker     | David Rest         |
| Abe Asher               | Nina Kamin         | Ralph Salomon      |
| Leopold Baer            | Reuben Karren      | Edwin Schachter    |
| Jay Baron               | Carolyn Kaufman    | Evelyn Schlader    |
| Sylvia Barrett          | Ben-Zion Kriguer   | Marc Schmelzer     |
| Richard Bermann         | Khaskel Krupnik    | Louis Schorr       |
| Max Bernstein           | Howard Kutner      | Herman Schwartz    |
| Ethel Cohen             | Joseph Lebow       | Barry Signoff      |
| Libbye Cohen            | Rita Lee           | John Sperling      |
| Hoda Efron              | Morris Lepow       | Eugene Steinberger |
| Carolyn Epstein         | Samuel Levin       | Bernard Stolbun    |
| Barbara "Bobbie" Fields | Philip Levy        | Sam Susser         |
| Gloria Frederick        | Ray Levy           | Melvin Totz        |
| Mack Freeman            | Dora Mae Meisel    | William Ullman     |
| Elaine Friedman         | Saul Mintz         | Karen Weintraub    |
| Ezra Goldberg           | Arthur Newman      | Martha Weisberg    |
| Sophie Goodman          | Beverly Novick     | Abe Wizig          |
| Milton Gordon           | Bernard Paull      | Louis Wizig        |
| Benjamin Grossman       | Bernard Pevow      | Gladys Yonks       |
| Abraham Har-Even        | Rae Pfeffer        |                    |
| Roger Jacobs            | H. Walter Pye, Sr. |                    |

### RABBI DAVID A. LYON ON THE RADIO

Rabbi Lyon can be heard on Sunday mornings, 6:45am, KODA, Sunny 99.1 FM radio. Each segment will be available as a podcast, called "Heart to Heart with Rabbi David Lyon". Go to [www.beth-israel.org/radiorabbi](http://www.beth-israel.org/radiorabbi), [sunny99.com](http://sunny99.com) ("Blogs & Podcasts"), or download the iHeartRadio app.

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